

HONOLULU MUST BE BOOMED

WHEN I go back to San Francisco it will be to preach the attractions of Honolulu as a pleasure and health resort. I believe that there are two points in the United States which are in themselves the greatest sights and resorts, which are too little known, and these are Hawaii and the Grand Canon in Arizona.

If there is anything that Honolulu has done within the past week it is the conversion of Mr. R. L. Stephenson, of the passenger department of the Santa Fe road into an enthusiast. Since his coming down in the Sonoma Mr. Stephenson has gone about Oahu seeing the sights while at the same time resting after a hard winter's work. Everything that he has seen has impressed him most favorably, and all that he has heard has operated to make him a most thorough believer in the future of this city as a tourist attraction. Continuing his talk, Mr. Stephenson said:

"There are very few people in the United States who really know what Honolulu has to offer in the way of attractions. They know about Hawaii generally, that Honolulu is the largest city, but further they cannot go. They do not understand the subtlety of the charms of the islands, and they have not been so impressed that they will investigate. When they have done so, when there has been put before them the many beauties of the place, the ease of the journey and the comforts they may have while here, there will be, in my opinion, a great rush of tourist travel for Honolulu."

"There is now a seeming belief that one should see Honolulu only as a stopping off place to the Orient. This belief should be removed and the advantages of Honolulu as the objective of a tour impressed upon the travelers. Once that is done I believe there would be a stream of people who now spend their winters in California who would simply pass through and come to Honolulu. There is here a balmy air which is absolutely different from California, where there are so often cold nights, which make it uncomfortable for some people. All of the advantages should be set forth and one result I think would be that there would be increased visitors."

"Another point is that once the tourist travel becomes pronounced here you will find a colony of winter dwellers springing into existence. There are many rich people who are fleeing from the cold climate now, and if they knew just what they could see here and how pleasantly they could make the trip and how comfortably live, I believe there would be no doubt but they would make this their winter rendezvous instead of Florida and Southern California. I cannot say enough about the perfect charm of the country. When I return I shall endeavor to have the officials of our system come down and see all about the islands and I am sure they will be as much interested as am I."

"How to make the people see this is, of course, hard. I believe there is one way which would be the most easy and bring the first results. That is to secure the co-operation of the great railroads of the country. The western lines should be induced to take up the matter easily, but the eastern lines, like the New York Central, the Pennsylvania and others, which have trunk lines, should be induced to take up the matter as well, and make it a feature of their excursion advertising. Mr. Daniels, of the New York Central, would be an excellent man, and it would be a great stroke if you could get him to come down here and look over the islands. There are a number of others who ought to be secured, too."

"Then the various excursion agencies should be induced to make a greater feature of their trips to this point, and they should be given plenty of interesting matter about the islands to distribute among the people who are their clients. All of these plans would have a great effect upon the travelers in my opinion, and once the right kind of people get to coming here they will bring in their train the rich colonist who wants a tropical winter home, and who finds that there are advantages here that he cannot get in any other place in the world."

TONIGHT'S CONCERT.

Band Will Play at Emma Square at 7:30 P. M.

PART I.

Overture, The Bride Auber
Cornet Solo, Lizzie Polka Hartman
Mr. Charles Kreuter
Selection, The Belle of Bohemia

Songs—
(a) My Adeline. (b) Gray and Blue
Mrs. N. Alapal.
(c) Marie Louise. (d) Cora.
Miss I. Kellian.

PART II.

Selection, The Toreador Monckton
Fantasia, Visions Blom
Intermezzo, Zamora Lorraine
Selection, The Whirl-I-Gig Stromberg
The Star Spangled Banner

Social Science.

The last trip of the Sonoma was a notable one. Rarely have the passengers enjoyed such entertainments as were provided by the courtesy of Mr. Frederick Warde and his company. Mr. Warde is a lecturer of considerable note, apart from his eminent work on the stage. On one Sunday night he delighted the passengers with a talk on "Spiritual Lessons from the Drama." The Social Science organization have taken advantage of Mr. Warde's well known affability and have secured him as the guest of honor at their meeting to be held at Chief Justice Frear's residence tonight. He will take for his topic, "The Drama as a Factor in Our Civilization."

The Kiohaha Art League will give a final at home Friday afternoon in the club rooms. Miss Claire H. Uecker will give a talk on "An Hour With America's Best Dialect Writers," and Miss Charity Crosson will render a solo. Miss Crosson is a singer of considerable talent who arrived but recently from the mainland, and intends to make her future home in Honolulu, she will be a welcome addition to the musical world of the city.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Last week of the Elford Co. at the Orpheum.

Mrs. C. B. Cooper has returned from a visit to Maui.

F. J. Cross has been granted a license to practice law in the district courts of the Territory.

The S. S. Oregonian of the American-Hawaiian S. S. Co. is booked to leave New York for this port on or about July 5th.

S. Kubeys has purchased the Arlington Annex lease and furniture, paying \$510 at J. F. Morgan's auction sale. The lease has still five years to run.

At the meeting of the Catholic Benevolent Union this evening, the Board of Health's action in the Father Wendelin matter will be the chief topic of discussion.

W. O. Smith, as administrator of the estate of Eva J. Spencer, has asked for an order of final distribution. The estate consists of about \$5000 on deposit in the bank here.

The Buckeye Club will meet this evening at the residence of Dr. C. L. Garvin on Emma street. An interesting program commemorative of Grant's birthday anniversary will be given.

Rose Endermark has sued Elmel Endermark for divorce, charging cruelty. The parties were married in April of last year. The defendant is also charged with desertion and drunkenness.

There will be a special rehearsal of the choir of St. Andrew's cathedral at 7:20 o'clock this evening at the home of Mrs. E. D. Tenney. There should be a full attendance, as there are some features to be taken up.

The Saturday evening meeting of the Murphy Club was as usual successful. A musical and literary program was given which was much enjoyed, and the entertainment closed with selections by the Quintet Club.

R. W. Irwin, former minister from Hawaii to Japan, was a through passenger to San Francisco on the steamer 'Optic. While in the city he met Commissioner Wray Taylor and also renewed his acquaintanceship with other Honolulu people.

L. C. Branson, telegraph editor of the Dawson Morning Sun, went to Seattle the middle of March and was married to a Miss Austin of Los Angeles. Mr. and Mrs. Branson go to Dawson over the ice—Exchange. Mr. Branson, last year, was a member of the Honolulu press.

The San Bernardino Times-Index says that Thomas Fitch of Honolulu has had incorporated the Aloha Gold Mining Company, with a capital of one million dollars. The principal place of business is to be Phoenix, Arizona, and the mines to be operated by the company are in the Dale district in California.

Mrs. L. P. Drexler, a millionaire widow, whose husband was one of San Francisco's principal capitalists, arrived by the Sonoma last week, accompanied by Mrs. Russell and Mr. Howe, her nephew. Mrs. Drexler and her party are settled at the Hawaiian Hotel Annex at Waikiki, where she will remain some weeks. She brought letters of introduction to Colonel Macfarlane from the Anglo-California Bank, of which institution her husband was a prominent client.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

A second baker is wanted at the Globe Bakery on Fort street.

Nottingham curtains from 75c a pair and upwards. See Whitney & Marsh Ltd. ad. on page 2.

Tenders are advertised for the purchase of 2000 feet of fire hose for the Honolulu Fire Department.

Children's hats and bonnets in great profusion at N. S. Sachs' Dry Goods Co. this week. Be sure to call.

Laces—M. Brasch & Co. of the Lace House have further reduced their laces and special prices will be the rule this morning.

Two certificates of Honolulu Investment Co. in favor of Loo Chit Sam have been lost. Payment on same has been stopped.

Pacific Import Company offer excellent values in boy's "Regatta" washable suits this week. See ad. and window display.

The sale of the schooner Twilight has been postponed till Tuesday, May 13th. A set of sails nearly new will be included in the sale.

One of the first obligations resting upon the individual who possesses property is to make a will. Consult the Hawaiian Trust Co.; they will help you.

If you wish Japanese help of any kind save annoyance by calling at the Port Employment Office, 163 S. King street. They have experienced men in all lines.

Decoration day will soon be here. Now is the time to have monuments and gravestones cleaned for that occasion. See J. C. Axtell's advertisement in another column.

Mrs. C. A. Blaisdell of 1271 Beretania avenue, who has become agent for the Orphanage, Kona Coffee, will deliver promptly to all old and new customers. Telephone No. 1652 White.

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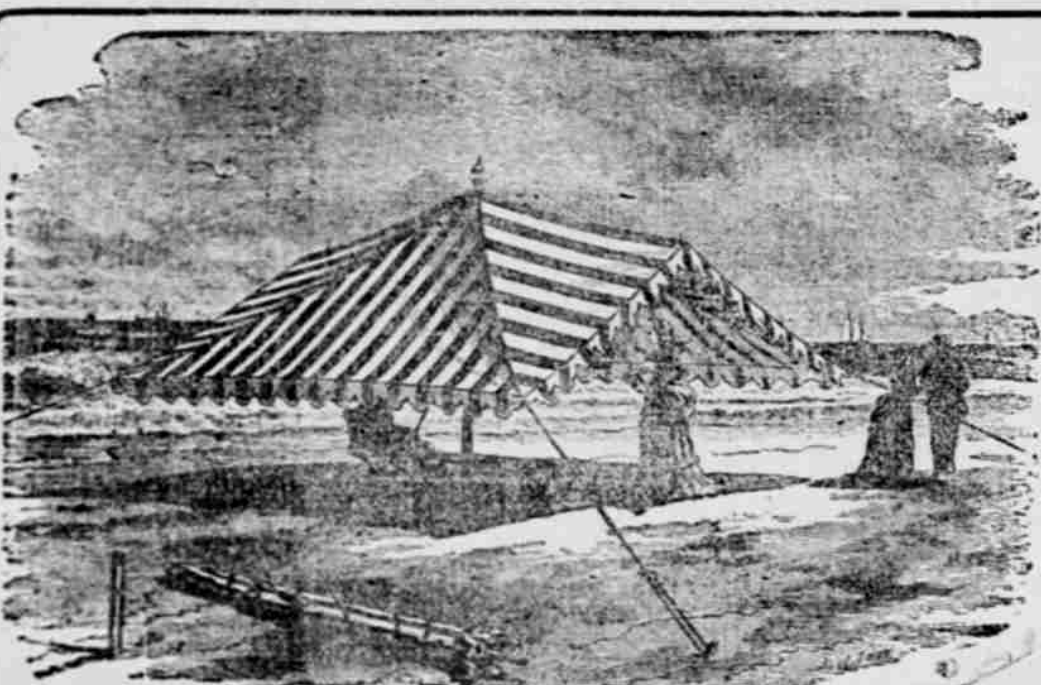
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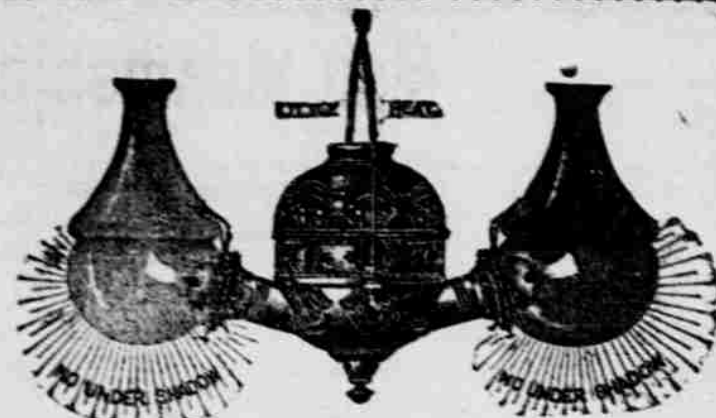
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For evening wear—something very elegant for the coming theatre season. Most exquisite material in dainty pink, blue, lavender, black, gold, red and white. Latest stripes, and will be appreciated as soon as you see it on display in our windows.

SILK CUSHION CORDS. Entire new line just received consisting of all shades, both plain and mixed colors entirely new and very pretty.

WASH HATS.

Something for baby, neatly stitched, and corded hats in pink, blue and white.

60c and 75c.

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Wide brim, latest shapes, just opened.

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SWISS GOODS.

Suitable for stand or table covers, bureau scarfs, pillow shams, etc. Plain, hemstitched or embroidered, also with cut out designs. Sizes 20x36, 20x54, 32x32, prices from

40c to \$2.00 each.

DOLLIES and MATS.

Round or square, prices from 10c up

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